

(5) Shall prepare and deliver a certificate of nomination or election to each candidate having the most votes for nomination for or election to county or precinct offices.

(6) Shall prepare, and file with the county governing body, a certificate stating the compensation to which the board clerks are entitled. The county governing body shall order the compensation paid by county funds.

254.550 [Repealed by 1979 c.190 §431]

254.555 Secretary of State's duties after election; Governor's proclamation. (1) Not later than the 30th day after the election, the Secretary of State, regarding offices for which the secretary receives filings for nomination, shall:

(a) Canvass the votes for the offices, except the office of Governor after the general election.

(b) Enter in a register of nominations after the primary election the name and, if applicable, major political party of each candidate nominated, the office for which the candidate is nominated, and the date of entry.

(c) Prepare and deliver a certificate of nomination or election to each candidate having the most votes for nomination for or election to the office. The Secretary of State shall sign the certificate under the seal of the state.

(d) Issue a proclamation declaring the election of candidates to the offices.

(2) Not later than the 30th day after the election:

(a) The Secretary of State, regarding measures for which the secretary as the filing officer, shall canvass the votes for each measure.

(b) The Governor shall issue a proclamation giving the number of votes cast for or against each such measure, and declaring the approved measures as the law on the effective date of the measure. **If two or more approved measures contain conflicting provisions, the Governor shall proclaim which is paramount. [1979 c.190 §277]**

Note: The amendments to 254.555 by section 53, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987, are repealed January 1, 1994. See section 82, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987. The text is set forth for the user's convenience.

254.555. (1) Not later than the 30th day after the election, the Secretary of State, regarding offices for which the secretary receives filings for nomination, shall:

(a) Canvass the votes for the offices, except the office of Governor after the general election.

(b) Enter in a register of nominations after a primary election the name and, if applicable, major political party of each candidate nominated, the office for which the candidate is nominated, and the date of entry.

(c) Prepare and deliver a certificate of nomination or election to each candidate having the most votes for nomination for or election to the office. The Secretary of State shall sign the certificate under the seal of the state.

(d) Issue a proclamation declaring the election of candidates to the offices.

(2) Not later than the 30th day after the election:

(a) The Secretary of State, regarding measures for which the secretary as the filing officer, shall canvass the votes for each measure.

(b) The Governor shall issue a proclamation giving the number of votes cast for or against each such measure, and declaring the approved measures as the law on the effective date of the measure. If two or more approved measures contain conflicting provisions, the Governor shall proclaim which is paramount.

254.560 [Repealed by 1979 c.190 §431]

254.565 Register of nominations; canvass of city measures. The chief city elections officer:

(1) After the primary election, shall enter in a register of nominations:

(a) The name of each candidate for city office nominated at the primary election.

(b) The office for which the candidate is nominated.

(c) If applicable, the name of the major political party nominating the candidate.

(d) The date of the entry.

(2) Not later than the 30th day after the election, shall canvass the vote on each city measure, and if two or more of the approved measures contain conflicting provisions, proclaim which is paramount. [Formerly 249.491]

Note: The amendments to 254.565 by section 54, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987, are repealed January 1, 1994. See section 82, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987. The text is set forth for the user's convenience.

254.565. The chief city elections officer:

(1) After the biennial primary election, shall enter in a register of nominations:

(a) The name of each candidate for city office nominated at the biennial primary election.

(b) The office for which the candidate is nominated.

(c) If applicable, the name of the major political party nominating the candidate.

(d) The date of the entry.

(2) Not later than the 30th day after the election, shall canvass the vote on each city measure, and if two or more of the approved measures contain conflicting provisions, proclaim which is paramount.

254.570 [Repealed by 1979 c.190 §431]

254.575 Procedure when tie vote. When two or more candidates for the same office, after a recount of votes, have an equal and the highest number of votes:

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county elections. It is the intention of the legislature to carry out the provisions of section 14-a, Article II, Oregon Constitution. All elections for city officers shall be held at the same time and place as elections for state and county officers. The election boards for state and county elections shall be the election boards for the city elections. Unless a city charter or ordinance provides otherwise, the ballots and ballot labels used for state and county elections, if the county clerk considers it practicable, shall be arranged to include city offices and measures. [Formerly 250.230]

254.040 [Amended by 1957 c.608 §168; 1959 c.177 §2; 1967 c.141 §1; 1969 c.42 §2; repealed by 1973 c.392 §1 (254.042 enacted in lieu of 254.040)]

254.042 [1973 c.392 §2 (enacted in lieu of 254.040); 1975 c.627 §1; 1977 c.487 §2; repealed by 1979 c.190 §431]

254.045 [1967 c.141 §§3, 4; repealed by 1973 c.392 §4]

254.046 Expense of city election. If a city holds a special election on a date other than the primary or general election, it shall bear the expense of the election. [1979 c.190 §228]

Note: The amendments to 254.046 by section 38, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987, are repealed January 1, 1994. See section 82, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987. The text is set forth for the user's convenience.

254.046. If a city holds a special election on a date other than the biennial primary or general election, it shall bear the expense of the election.

254.050 [Repealed by 1957 c.608 §231]

254.055 [1973 c.481 §2; 1979 c.190 §145; 1979 c.345 §3; renumbered 250.065]

254.056 Date and purpose of general and primary elections. (1) The general election shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of each even-numbered year. At the general election officers of the state and subdivisions of the state, members of Congress and electors of President and Vice President of the United States as are to be elected in that year shall be elected.

(2) The primary election shall be held on the third Tuesday in May of each even-numbered year. At the primary election precinct committeepersons shall be elected and major political party candidates shall be nominated for offices to be filled at the general election held in that year. [1979 c.190 §229; 1979 c.316 §20a]

Note: The amendments to 254.056 by section 1, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987, are repealed January 1, 1994. See section 82, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987. The text is set forth for the user's convenience.

254.056. (1) The general election shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of each even-numbered year. At the general election officers of the state and subdivisions of the state, members of Congress and

electors of President and Vice President of the United States as are to be elected in that year shall be elected.

(2) The biennial primary election shall be held on the third Tuesday in May of each even-numbered year. At the biennial primary election, precinct committeepersons shall be elected and major political party candidates other than candidates for President of the United States shall be nominated for offices to be filled at the general election held in that year.

(3) The presidential primary election shall be held on the fourth Tuesday of March of each year in which electors of the President and Vice President are to be elected. At the presidential primary election, electors may vote for candidates for nomination for President of the United States.

Note: Sections 81 and 82, chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987, provide:

Sec. 81. If a presidential primary election held on the fourth Tuesday in March of each year in which electors of the President and Vice President are elected is held in at least three of the states of Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Washington and Wyoming, then a presidential primary election as provided in this Act [chapter 267, Oregon Laws 1987] shall be held in this state. [1987 c.267 §81]

Sec. 82. This Act is repealed on January 1, 1994. [1987 c.267 §82]

254.060 [Amended by 1953 c.359 §4; 1957 c.608 §169; 1967 c.364 §1; 1967 s.s. c.3 §1; 1973 c.481 §1; repealed by 1979 c.190 §431]

254.065 Person receiving most votes nominated or elected; measure adopted by majority of votes; when measure conflicts.

(1) When one person is to be nominated for or elected to an office, the person receiving the highest number of votes shall be nominated or elected. When more than one person is to be nominated for or elected to a single office, the persons receiving the higher number of votes shall be nominated or elected.

(2) No measure shall be adopted unless it receives an affirmative majority of the total votes cast on the measure. If two or more conflicting laws, or amendments to the Constitution or charter, are approved at the same election, the law, or amendment, receiving the greatest number of affirmative votes shall be paramount regarding each conflict, even though the law, or amendment, may not have received the greatest majority of affirmative votes. [1979 c.190 §230]

254.070 [Amended by 1953 c.359 §4; 1957 c.608 §170; 1967 c.634 §7; 1973 c.481 §3; 1977 c.468 §1; repealed by 1979 c.190 §431]

254.073 [1967 c.364 §3; 1967 s.s. c.3 §2; 1977 c.468 §2; 1979 c.190 §146; 1979 c.345 §14; renumbered 250.075]

254.075 [1967 c.364 §4; repealed by 1967 s.s. c.3 §4]

PREPARATORY PROCEDURES

254.076 Register of candidates for nomination. The chief elections officer shall